

<b>Title:</b>	John Freeman Tufts letters from Sir Charles Tupper, 1896, 1914		
<b>Creator:</b>	Tupper, Charles		
<b>Dates of Material:</b>	1896, 1914	<b>Record Group Number:</b>	RG 219
<b>Summary of Contents:</b>	Two handwritten letters, one envelope.		
<b>Physical Description / Condition:</b>	Letters are in excellent condition, envelope includes postage stamp.		
<b>Administrative / Biographical Sketch</b>	<p>The fonds contains two letters written by Sir Charles Tupper to Professor John Freeman Tufts in 1896 and in 1914. Both men were Nova Scotians.</p> <p>The 1896 letter is written on government of Canada letterhead, from the Department of the Secretary of State, Minister's Office, Ottawa. Sir Charles Tupper had returned from diplomatic service overseas to take over the leadership of the Conservative Party, and within a few months of writing this letter Tupper would become Canada's sixth prime minister. By 1914, Tupper had retired from political office, taking on the role of elder statesman, publishing articles and generally keeping his hand in politics from his daughters' home in Bexleyheath, England. Tupper died in 1915. Source: <a href="http://www.biographi.ca/009004-119.01-e.php?BioId=41869">http://www.biographi.ca/009004-119.01-e.php?BioId=41869</a> (March 10, 2010)</p> <p>John Freeman Tufts (1843-1921), a graduate of Acadia College and Harvard University, taught history at Acadia College from 1881 to 1883. He was principal of Horton Academy from 1874 to 1881 and again from 1883 to 1888. From 1888 to 1889 he returned to his studies at Harvard, returning to Acadia in 1890 to teach history and political economics until 1920. Source: <a href="http://library.acadiau.ca/archives/research/acadia_archives/Horton_Academy.pdf">http://library.acadiau.ca/archives/research/acadia_archives/Horton_Academy.pdf</a> (March 10, 2010)</p>		

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Related material held at other repositories:			
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